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FIRE RESTRICTIONS ANNOUNCED

Due to an increasingly high fire danger throughout much of Utah federal and state fire management officials have announced fire restrictions beginning Tuesday, July 19, 2005, at 12:01 a.m. These restrictions will apply to State of Utah, Bureau of Land Management, and private lands in Tooele, Juab and Millard counties, and lands west of Interstate 15 in Box Elder, Salt Lake, Utah, Beaver and Iron counties. This fire restriction does not apply to National Forest lands. Fire restrictions are already in effect in Washington County. Fire restrictions will remain in effect until rescinded.

The following acts are prohibited on the above-mentioned lands:

- 1. Setting, building, maintaining, attending, or using open fire of any kind, except campfires within approved fire pits and grills provided for, in improved campgrounds, picnic areas, and permanently improved places of habitation, or except as otherwise authorized. Devices fueled by petroleum or liquid propane gas (LPG) products are allowed in all locations.
- 2. Smoking, except within an enclosed vehicle, camp trailer, or building, a developed recreation site, or while stopped in an area at least three feet in diameter that is barren or cleared to mineral soil.
- 3. Discharging, or using any kind of fireworks, tracer ammunition, or other incendiary devices in any location on federal, state, and unincorporated private lands. (Note that these acts are always prohibited on Federal Lands.)

All other fire restrictions, or necessary exemptions to the restrictions, will be handled through local "permits" issued by the responsible agency for that purpose. The order does not affect incorporated towns and cities. For more information on fire restrictions go to utahfireinfo.gov.

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